## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In The Matter of Missouri-American's Tariff to ) Implement a Residential Low-Income Pilot Program )

File No. WT-2017-0117 Tariff No. YW-2017-0056

## ORDER DIRECTING STAFF TO FILE A RECOMMENDATION AND ESTABLISHING TIME TO RESPOND TO PROPOSED TARIFF

Issue Date: October 19, 2016

Effective Date: October 19, 2016

On October 18, 2016, Missouri-American Water Company filed a tariff in File No. WR-2015-0301 that purports to implement a residential low-income pilot program that was authorized in the Commission's report and order in Missouri-American's recently completed general rate case. The Commission's report and order in File No. WR-2015-0301 has been appealed, and is currently pending in the Missouri Court of Appeals, Western District (WD79988).

To avoid creating confusion and uncertainty by dealing with this tariff in a case for which an appeal is pending, the Commission has moved Missouri-American's tariff into this file. All parties to Missouri-American's rate case will be made parties to this case.

Missouri-American's tariff carries a 30-day effective date of November 17, 2016. The Commission will direct its Staff to file a recommendation indicating whether the tariff complies with the Commission's report and order in WR-2015-0301, and will also establish a date for any other party to file a response regarding the tariff.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Staff shall file a recommendation no later than November 4, 2016, explaining whether Missouri-American's tariff complies with the Commission's report and order in File No. WR-2015-0301.

2. Any other party wishing to respond to Missouri-American's tariff shall do so no later than November 4, 2016.

3. The Commission's data center shall make all parties to File No. WR-2015-0301 parties to this case.

4. This order shall be effective when issued.



# BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2016.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of October 2016.



Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

### MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

### October 19, 2016

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

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